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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97,
applicants wish to call the attention of the Examiner to the
following references:

U.S. Patent No. 6,251,692, Hanson

U.S. Patent No. 6,111,638, Chou et al.

U.S. Patent No. 5,998,782, Koyama et al.

U.S. Patent No. 5,945,685, Imai et al.

U.S. Patent No. 5,796,486, Jacob

U.S. Patent No. 5,780,849, Kikuchi

U.S. Patent No. 5,264,918, Kagami

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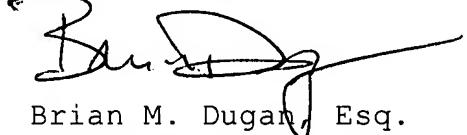
U.S. Patent No. 5,095,204, Novini

U.S. Patent No. 6,352,466, Moore

These references are also listed on the accompanying Information Disclosure Statement (Form PTO-1449) and copies are enclosed.

Consideration of the foregoing in relation to this patent application is respectfully requested.

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